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**NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS
 CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE
 DISCLOSURES**

Filing Date Granted

This application contains sequence disclosures that are encompassed by the definitions for nucleotide and/or amino acid sequences set forth in 37 CFR § 1.821(a)(1) and (a)(2). However, this application fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR §§ 1.821-1.825. The application must be in sequence compliance before examination on the merits.

APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS LETTER WITHIN WHICH TO COMPLY WITH THE SEQUENCE RULES, 37 CFR §§ 1.821-1.825. Failure to comply with these requirements will result in ABANDONMENT of the application under 37 CFR § 1.821(g). Extension of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136. In no case may an applicant extend the period for response beyond the six-month statutory period. Direct the response to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

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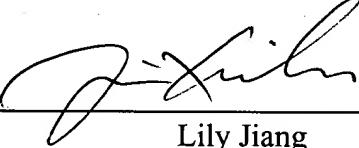
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Enclosures:

1. Response to Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures in Duplicate;
2. One CD-R (COPY1)
3. One CD-R (COPY2)
4. One CD-R (CRF)
5. Preliminary Amendment
6. Copy of the June 28, 2004 Notice
7. Return Postcard



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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT
APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID
SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES

Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures mailed June 28, 2004, setting a one-month deadline for response, applicants submit herewith:

• one (1) CD-R disc, in duplicate ("COPY1" and "COPY2") (total: two (2) discs), as a substitute "paper" Sequence Listing pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(c) and 1.52(e);

• one (1) CD-R disc as a substitute computer readable format ("CRF") Sequence Listing pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(e) and 1.824;

a Preliminary Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.115 directing entry of the Substitute "paper" copy of the Sequence Listing; and

• a copy of the Notice to file Missing Parts

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees due in connection with the papers transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this response is enclosed.

Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.52(e)(4)

The two (2) CD-R discs ("COPY1" and "COPY2") filed herewith under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(c) and 1.52(e) are identical to one another, are identical to the sole disc maintained in the internal files of the undersigned attorney of record, and to the best of the undersigned's knowledge are thus identical to the Sequence Listing filed August 2, 2001 in the instant application; no new matter has been added.

Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f)

The single CD-R disc filed herewith under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(e) and 1.824 is identical to the CD-R disc (in duplicate) filed herewith under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(c) and 1.52(e), is identical to the sole disc maintained in the internal files of the undersigned attorney of record, and to the best of the undersigned's knowledge is thus identical to the CRF filed August 2, 2001 in the instant application; no new matter has been added.

Respectfully submitted,

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